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Inventor:

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**Volume Data Net Backup** 

Assignee:

**International Business Machines Corporation** 

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## Enclosed are:

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- \_12\_\_ pages of specifications, claims and abstract
- \_4\_ sheet of drawings
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney
- An Assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504 and Recordation Cover Sheet form PTO-1595

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